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that due process of Law against the said John Langford Junr in this part may be made to answer the same Lord
proprietary of and upon the premises &c.

Thereupon Command is to the Sheriff of the County aforesaid that he should take the said John Langford Junr
if he to answer &c. and now to witt that that same Court held for the County aforesaid at dividing Creek this Seventeenth day
of March Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and forty, before the aforesaid Justices came the aforesaid John Langford Junr
in his proper person according to a certain Recognizance by him and his Security in this part first Acknowledged
and had a hearing of the Information aforesaid and saith that he cannot deny but that he is guilty of the premises aforesaid in
the Information aforesaid Specified above upon him Imposed, in manner and form as by the Information aforesaid above
upon him supposed &c. Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen, and by the Court here fully
understood, It is Considered by the Court here that the aforesaid John Langford pay unto his Lordship the Lord proprietary
for his fine by the Court here upon him Imposed for and by Occasion of the premises aforesaid whereof in form aforesaid he is
Convict thirty Shillings Current money of Maryland and that the said John be taken to satisfy his said Lordship
of the fine aforesaid. Whereupon the said John Langford Junr is Ordered to give Security to save and
keep Indemnified the ^{Justices of the} County of Somerset and their Successors from all troubles Burthens and Charges that might ac-
:cure by means of the birth and maintainance and bringing up of the Child aforesaid.

Thereupon the said John Langford Junr with a certain John Langford Senr of Somerset County planter
his Security both present here in Court in their proper persons Acknowledged themselves Indebted unto his Lordship
the Right Honourable the Lord proprietary of the province of Maryland in thirty pounds Current money of their
bodies goods or Chattles Lands or tenements Severally to be made and Levied to the use of the Inhabitants of the County
of Somerset for the time being. If it happen that the said John Langford Junr and John Langford Senr their heirs Executors
Admors or any or either of them doe not from time to time and at all times hereafter Acquitt discharge and save harmless
as well the Justices of Somerset County Court for the time being as also ^{the} Inhabitants of said County of and from all Costs
Charges and Troubles whatsoever for or by reason of the birth maintainance Nourishing and bringing up of the
said Child and of and from ^{all} other suits, Charges, troubles, and Demands whatsoever touching or Concerning of the same &c.

Likewise the said John Langford is Ordered to give Security for the payment of any fee or fees due upon
the Information and premises aforesaid to any person or persons whatsoever &c. Thereupon the said John Langford Senr
present here in Court in his proper person undertook for the said John Langford Junr to pay any fee or fees &c. all fees that
might accrue due by means of the premises, and Information aforesaid to any person or persons whatsoever &c.

The same Somerset s^t The Jurors for the Right Honourable the Lord pro^{pr}ty that now is for the body of Somer-
Negro Jack } set County upon their Oath do present that negro Jack the slave of Samuel With late of Stepney
parish in the said County of Somerset planter the thirtieth first day of December in the year of our
Lord